House Resolution No. 4168

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, fifty years ago on July 14, 1955, Jack Oliver took the hand of his beautiful bride, Maudie Havens, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony in Queen City, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Jack and Maudie Oliver have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include two children and their spouses, Ronnie and Beverly Oliver and Rhonda and Brad Ebert; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; and

Whereas, Jack Oliver is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a farmer; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Maudie Oliver has further distinguished herself as a retired employee of the National Garment Factor in Memphis; and

Whereas, members of Downing Community Christian Church, Jack and Maudie Oliver have found the road to happiness by putting all of their energy, love, and ambition into their marriage and by knowing that a successful union is built upon such strong qualities as sacrifice, dedication, and honesty; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver, residents of Downing, commemorated the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on July 17, 2005, at Downing City Park:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jack and Maudie Oliver for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss and in wishing them many happy and rewarding years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oliver.

Offered by
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4168, adopted August 10, 2005.
Rod Jetton, Speaker